ber, 1999. Dark is a founding member of the Pacific Arts Association (1974).

Sections will be organized around such themes as Dark's work in Papua New Guinea. It is hoped that themes will be incorporated such as art and material culture, influences of World War II on Pacific art and culture, and contemporary issues of significance to the people of Papua New Guinea and the Pacific. For further information: Pacific Arts Association, 900 South Beretania St., Honolulu HI 96814.

NOUMEA: UNIVERSITY OF NEW CALEDONIA

November 25-27, 1999. An international multidisciplinary colloquium will be held in Noumea (University of New Caledonia) on the following topic, Religion and the Sacred in Oceania. All mail should be sent to Frederic Angleviel, President of CORAIL, B.P. 2448, 98846 Noumea Cedex, New Caledonia. Email: angleviel@ufp.nc

AUSTRALIA: XIX PACIFIC SCIENCE CONGRESS

July 4-9, 1999; University of New South Wales, Sydney, Australia. For information: Pacific Science Congress Secretariat, GPO Box 2609, Sydney, NSW 2001, Australia.
Email: reply@icmsaust.com.au

HAWAI'I: PACIFIC 2000

August 7-12, 2000; Kamuela, Big Island, Hawai'i. This international conference on the islands of the Pacific, will be held at the Hawai'i Preparatory Academy. For further information, contact The Easter Island Foundation, PO Box 6774, Los Osos, CA 93412. See announcement, page 34.
Email: rapanui@compuserve.com ; rapanui@worldnet.att.net or fax: (805) 534-9301.

NEW CALEDONIA

New Caledonia will host the 8th Festival of Pacific Arts from 23 October to 3 November, 2000. The festival will take place in three different towns: Noumea and Mont-dore, Kone and Pooindimie, and We and Lifu in the Loyalty Islands. The festival anticipates more than 2200 participants.

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Web Sites

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POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY

This site contains information on the Voyaging Society, navigation, and news about the upcoming *Hōkūle'a* voyage to Rapa Nui. < http://leahi.kcc.hawaii.edu/org/pvs >

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Mr Rjabchikov also wishes his personal email address to be included: srjabchikov@hotmail.com

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GAZETTE TE RAPA NUI (The Gazette from Easter Island)
<http://www.rapanui.co.cl> This is the only web page done entirely on the island, thanks to webmaster Ioan Haumoana.

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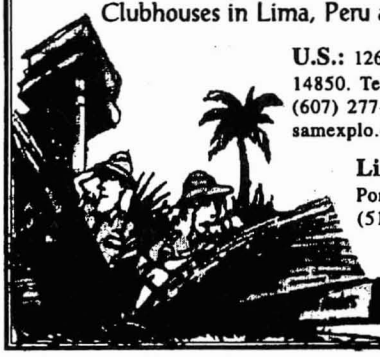

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